KORE WA KOI NI FUKUMARE MASU KA 3

I DON'T WANT TO SEE YOUR FACE RIGHT NOW.
Asahina . . .
SHUT

Bam
THUD
THUD
THUD
pant
pant
CLICK

pant
slide
pant
pant

TADAH!
SHIRAISHI MA**NA'S NEW WORK!!
OOH, THIS IS QUITE ...
Shut
A GREAT WAY TO RELAX AFTER EXAMS.
YOU GUYS...
WHY DO YOU ALWAYS WATCH PORN AT MY HOUSE?
BECAUSE YOUR HOUSE IS THE CLOSEST FROM SCHOOL.
RIGHT, TSUKA-SA?

gloom
NO WAY.
HE'S NOT IN ANY CONDITION TO WATCH PORN RIGHT NOW.
DID SOMETHING HAPPEN?
He feels lifeless.
I HEARD HE GOT IN A FIGHT WITH ASAHINA.

OH. JUST WHEN I THOUGHT THEY WERE GETTING ALONG LATELY.
It's been three days since then.
And I haven't spoken a word to Asahina.
He completely ignores me at school.
Same with my calls and texts.
SHIT, I FEEL LIKE CRYING.
And there's one more thing...
CHEER UP, TSUKASA!

THIS IS...
...
LOOK, BODA-CIOUS BOOBS.
Nothing compared to Asahi-na...
HIIRAGI, YOU PERVERT.

Lately, my heart's been speeding up when I'm with Asahina.
I knew something was up.
SORRY GUYS, I'M GOING HOME FOR TODAY!
HUH? OKAY...
SPAN
SPAN
Go home.
HE PROBABLY HATES ME RIGHT NOW.
And then,
he'll be all alone again.

thunk
thunk
thunk
thunk
thunk
...TSUKASA.
Will he look
for a replacement?
DUN

YOU OKAY THERE?
gets up
...

CLATTER
This is a feeling of complete despair.
!?
jump
ASAHINA!

I CAUGHT YOU AT THE RIGHT TIME!
Woah.
Wai-...
What...
COULD YOU SPARE ME SOME OF YOUR TIME?!
GOOD MORNING!!
G-
giggle
giggle
So energetic in the mornings!
...
I UNDERSTAND YOUR RESENTMENT,
HOWEVER, MY MANNER OF CONDUCT WAS A DEVI... DEVIATION FROM MY NORMAL COURSE OF...
I'M EXTREMELY SORRY!
THAT'S A LOT OF BIG WORDS.
For you.
YES! I MEMORIZED IT YESTERDAY!

PRESENT
to Asahina
AND THERE'S THIS...
OH YEAH.
RUSTLE
RUSTLE
I'D PUT IT IN YOUR LOCKER ...
I THOUGHT IF I COULDN'T CATCH YOU TODAY,
Because you probably wouldn't check your messages.
crinkle

Dear Asahina,
Last time, it was a stir of the moment and I apologize for it. I've reflected on it. Can we be friends again?
...
OW.

HUH?
WROTE IT WRONG.
... YOU

OH, YOU'RE RIGHT.
IT'S NOT "STIR OF THE MOMENT", IT'S "SPUR".
Haha.
CAN'T HELP IT.
So shocked.
I LOOKED IT OVER A MILLION TIMES LAST NIGHT.

shine
REALLY?!
I'LL FORGIVE YOUR STUPIDITY THIS TIME.
THANKS!!
Snatch
THAT'S ENOUGH. LET'S GO BACK TO CLASS.
T-

?
What is this un-comfortable feeling?
YOU COM-ING?
What is this?
OH...
No,
WAIT!
It's probably nothing.
And what happened to your face?
I fell down the stairs.

I KNEW YOU GUYS WERE FIGHTING.
OH.
SO HE WAS ANGRY ...
HUH?
NO, BUT...
OH, DID ASAHINA TELL YOU ANYTHING?
IT WASN'T ANGER, MORE LIKE...
NO BUT,
SO I FIGURED SOMETHING WAS UP.
HE'S BEEN LOOKING PRETTY PISSY LATELY.

I'M RELIEVED THAT YOU TWO ARE BACK TO NORMAL TOO.
BUT IT'S A GOOD THING YOU TWO WERE ABLE TO MAKE UP.
...
...
...
ACTUALLY, FORGET WHAT I JUST SAID.
IT'S PROBABLY JUST MY IMAGINATION.
?
OKAY.
UM..
CAN I ASK YOU SOMETHING?
WHAT?
UH...
W-
WELL ...

W-WHAT...
WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN 'LOVE' AND 'LIKE'?
fidget
WHAT ARE...
...YOUR THOUGHTS?
I WONDER...
!?
DOESN'T IT COME DOWN TO IF YOU WANT TO FUCK THEM OR NOT?

IF YOU'RE HYPER-AWARE OF THEM, IF YOU'RE THINKING OF THEM,
IF YOU WANT TO BE WITH THEM,
IF THEY ARE IMPORTANT TO YOU,
IF YOU WANT TO BE IMPORTANT TO THEM,
HUH? THEN...
A GIRL SHOULDN'T BE SAYING THAT...
WAIT SATOYA-SAN.
IF YOU DON'T WANT TO GIVE THEM OVER TO ANYONE.

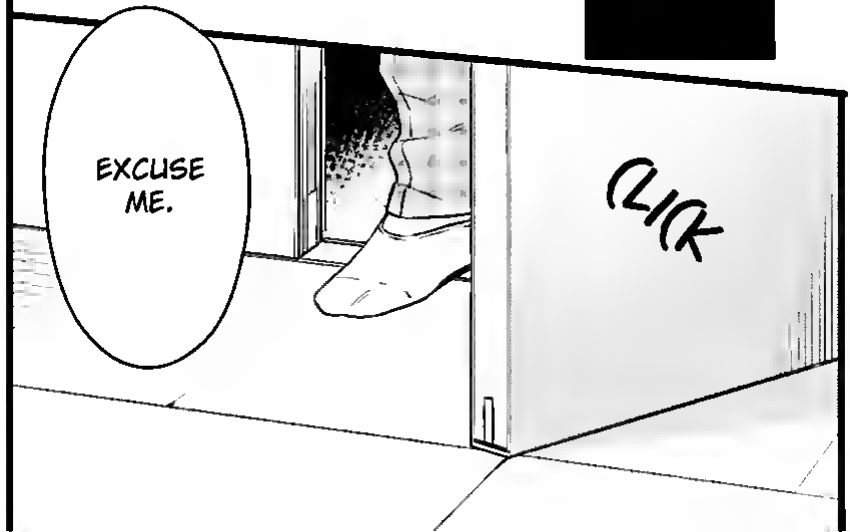
BLUSH
I SEE...
AND THEN ...
THANK YOU, SATOYA -SAN.
OF COURSE...
DO YOU LIKE HIM?
IN THAT WAY?
BE CAUSE, IF I LIKE HIM THAT WAY, THEN THAT MEANS I'M THE SAME AS ALL THE OTHER GUYS THAT ASAHINA'S ENCOUNTERED
AND THAT'S LIKE...
HUH?
...I DON'T WANT TO ADMIT IT.
shunk

BETRAY -ING HIM.
...
Because,
THAT'S MEAN!
YOU'RE SO WEAK-WILLED.
Wow.
Good-for-nothing.

SORRY I'M LATE.
IT'S ALL RIGHT.
I forcefully kissed him and then I fell in love with him,
that marks the end of all of this.
slide
!
I won't be able to stay with him at this rate.
Then, I should just completely

As a friend.
As a friend.
Treat him as a friend.
Hii-ragi...
Ah...

I wanna die.



SIT WHER-EVER YOU LIKE.
OH.
THE DVD PLAYER IS OVER THERE.
OKAY.
WHAT MOVIE WAS IT AGAIN?
I THINK IT WAS AN AMERICAN COMEDY.
glance
OH...
LOOKS APPETIZ-IN-...
NGH!
INTER-ESTING!!
?

I'M JUST BEING AFFECTED BY THAT DREAM.
CALM DOWN.
HAH...
clink
Okay!
SORRY FOR THE WAIT, ASAHI-
click
DESIRES
ASAHINA IS A FRIEND!!
ASAHINA IS A FRIEND. ASAHINA IS A FRIEND.
Ah.
AHNGH.
-NA...
Ahhh.

I JUST TURNED IT ON...
Ahn.
Yeah.
Shiiit.
Ah.
Ah.
I STOPPED HALFWAY YESTERDAY AND LEFT IT IN THERE ...
IT'S NOT WORKING AT ALL
ASAHINA IS SO MUCH CUTER...
AH ...
I-I-I BORROWED THAT FROM TANAKA ...
YOU LIKE THIS SORT OF STUFF?
?
I MEAN, BEAUTIES WITH BIG BREASTS...
AH, YEAH...I THINK.
I GUESS I DO.

I'M GOING HOME FOR TODAY.
HUH?
TAP
THEN WHY DON'T WE WATCH THIS IN-STEAD?
LIKE...
SORRY.
I KNOW!
CLINK
WAI-
ASAHINA!
WAIT!
SH-
UT

MOVE.
NO.
DID I DO SOMETHING TO MAKE YOU ANGRY AGAIN?
...NO.
THEN IS SOMETHING BOTHERING YOU?
NO...
... HEY.

YOU KNOW VERY WELL HOW STUPID I AM.

I WOULDN'T KNOW IF YOU DON'T SAY ANY-THING.